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AL-QADHDHAFI: POPULAR COMMITTEES TO CONTINUE FOR 3 YEARS
 LD181447Y
 TRIPOLI ARNA IN ARABIC 1030 GMT 18 JAN 76 LD

((EXCERPT)) TRIPOLI, 18 JAN-- COL MU'AMMAR AL- QADHDHAFI,
 CHAIRMAN OF THE REVOLUTION COMMAND COUNCIL, SAID AT THE GENERAL
 POPULAR CONGRESS NOW BEING HELD IN TRIPOLI THAT POPULAR COMMITTEES
 WILL CONTINUE TO EXIST FOR ANOTHER 3 YEARS AT LEAST SO THAT THEY
 WILL HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO SERVE THE CITIZENS AND THEIR
 INTERESTS. THE LACK OF STABILITY IN THE POPULAR COMMITTEES,
 HE SAID, HAS SERIOUSLY AFFECTED THE DEVELOPMENT PLAN. THE
 POPULAR COMMITTEES, HE ADDED, REPRESENT POPULAR LEADERSHIP
 RESPONSIBLE FOR PURGING THE ADMINISTRATIVE MACHINERY AND CONTINUING
 THE ADMINISTRATIVE REVOLUTION SO THAT ONLY REVOLUTIONARY INDIVIDUALS
 COMMITTED TO SERVING THE MASSES REMAIN. ((PASSAGE OMITTED))
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AL-QADHDHAFI ANNOUNCES MILITARY DRAFT IN 1976

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TRIPOLI ARNA IN ARABIC 1530 GMT 10 JAN 76 LD

((TEXT)) TRIPOLI, 10 JANUARY-- COL MU'AMMAR AL-QADHDHAFI, CHAIRMAN OF THE REVOLUTION COMMAND COUNCIL AND CHAIRMAN OF THE POPULAR GENERAL CONGRESS, ANNOUNCED AT THE SESSION OF THE CONGRESS HELD IN TRIPOLI TODAY THAT AT ITS CLOSED SESSION THE CONGRESS APPROVED THE CLAUSE ON NATIONAL DEFENSE AND ALSO AGREED ON FILLING THE SHORTAGE IN THE LIBYAN ARAB ARMED FORCES BY DRAFTING THE NUMBER OF MEN REQUIRED.

THE COLONEL SAID: IT IS NECESSARY THAT THE DRAFTING AND TRAINING OF THE REQUIRED NUMBER OF MEN BE CARRIED OUT IN 1976 SEVEN SIX SO THAT THEY WILL BE TRAINED IN THE USE OF THE ARMS WE WILL IMPORT UNDER THE COMING 5-YEAR PLAN.

COLONEL AL-QADHDHAFI AFFIRMED THAT THE SHORTAGE IN THE ARMED FORCES MUST BE OFFSET REGARDLESS OF ALL CIRCUMSTANCES AND THAT PRIORITY WILL BE GIVEN TO THOSE EMPLOYED BY THE STATE. HE ADDED THAT IN IMPLEMENTING THIS DECISION THE GENERAL STAFF WILL DEFINE THE AGE AND CONDITIONS UNDER WHICH MEN WILL BE DRAFTED. ALL THOSE TO WHOM THESE CONDITIONS APPLY WILL BE GIVEN MEDICAL EXAMINATIONS AND SENT TO THE COMPETENT DRAFT COMMITTEES. THE DRAFT COMMITTEES WILL RESORT TO ALL GOVERNMENT INSTITUTIONS AND AUTHORITIES AS WELL AS MEN NOT EMPLOYED BY THE STATE IN ORDER TO BUILD UP THE ARMED FORCES TO THE SPECIFIED STRENGTH.

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EZ2:AL-QADHDHAFI TO CONSIDER REHIRING RETIRED BUREAUCRATS
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TRIPOLI ARNA IN ARABIC 1530 GMT 18 JAN 76 LD((TEXT)) TRIPOLI, 18 JANUARY-- COL MU'AMMAR AL- QADHDHAFI,
REVOLUTION COMMAND COUNCIL CHAIRMAN, WHO IS CHAIRING THE GENERAL
POPULAR CONGRESS MEETINGS, ^{DECLARED} HERE TODAY THAT HE WILL CONSIDER THE
REINSTATEMENT OF RETIRED OFFICIALS IN THE CIVIL PUBLIC SERVICE.
HE POINTED OUT THAT THIS MEASURE WILL BE RESORTED TO TO FILL
THE ADMINISTRATIVE VACANCIES THAT WILL OCCUR AS A RESULT
OF THE ENLISTEMENT IN THE ARMED FORCES OF ALL ELIGIBLE LIBYANS.181530 SHARP/ML 18/1630Z JAN
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 AL-QADHDHAFI CALLS FOR GREATER INVESTMENT ABROAD

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 TRIPLOI ARNA IN ENGLISH 1649 GMT 18 JAN 76 LD
 ((TEXT)) TRIPOLI, LIBYA, JANUARY 18, ARNA-- THE LIBYAN
 LEADER, COLONEL MU'AMMAR AL- QADHDHAFI, TODAY CALLED
 ON THE GENERAL PEOPLE'S CONGRESS TO INCREASE THE INVESTMENTS BY
 THE LIBYAN ARAB REPUBLIC ABROAD.

ADDRESSING THE CONGRESS HE SAID "THESE LOANS AND INVESTMENTS
 ARE SIMILAR TO ANY COMMERCIAL PROJECT FOR INVESTMENT AND SHOULD
 BE ENCOURAGED".

COLONEL AL- QADHDHAFI, HOWEVER, POINTED OUT THAT LIBYA DID NOT
 APPRECIATE GRANTING OF LOANS TO POOR COUNTRIES WHICH MAY USE THEM
 TO RUN THEIR ADMINISTRATIVE BUDGETS AND CONSEQUENTLY HAVE PROBLEMS
 IN REPAYMENTS.

HE ALSO EXPLAINED TO THE CONGRESS THE SYSTEM OF JOINT VENTURE
 PROJECTS WITH SOME FRIENDLY COUNTRIES.

REFERRING TO JOINT VENTURES IN SETTING UP MARINE COMPANIES,
 COLONEL AL- QADHDHAFI SAID IT WOULD LINK LIBYA WITH THE EASTERN
 COAST OF AFRICA THROUGH THE SUEZ CANAL, RED SEA AND ARABIAN
 GULF WHILE SOME ROUTES WILL LINK THE REPUBLIC WITH WESTERN AFRICA.
 THE LIBYAN ARAB REPUBLIC, COLONEL AL- QADHDHAFI STRESSED,
 INTENDED TO BECOME AN ARTERY LINKING THE WEST OF AFRICA WITH ITS
 EASTERN PARTS.

THE CONGRESS LATER DEALT WITH LIBYAN INVESTMENTS ABROAD THROUGH
 THE LIBYAN ARAB FOREIGN BANK AND LOANS.

IT WENT INTO SESSION AGAIN THIS MORNING TO DISCUSS LAWS
 CONCERNING THE PEOPLE'S COMMITTEES AND THE ARAB SOCIALIST UNION.
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 LIBYAN CONGRESS MAY TAKE OVER LEGISLATIVE ROLE
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TRIPOLI ARNA IN ARABIC 1652 GMT 18 JAN 76 LD
 AA ((TEXT)) TRIPOLI, LIBYA, 18 JAN, ARNA-- THE GENERAL PEOPLE'S
 CONGRESS, THE HIGHEST POLITICAL AUTHORITY IN THE LIBYAN ARAB
 REPUBLIC, LAST NIGHT AUTHORISED THE REVOLUTIONARY COMMAND COUNCIL
 (R.C.C.) TO CONTINUE ENACTING LAWS UNTIL THE CONGRESS SESSION
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BY A UNANIMOUS VOTE THE CONGRESS, WHICH REMAINED IN SESSION UNTIL 3 THREE A.M. THIS MORNING, DECIDED TO PREPARE A STUDY ON AMENDING THE CONSTITUTIONAL DECLARATION IN ORDER TO EMPOWER THE CONGRESS TO ASSUME LEGISLATIVE FUNCTIONS.

SPEAKING ON THE SUBJECT, COLONEL AL- QADHDHAFI, THE PRESIDENT OF THE CONGRESS, POINTED OUT THAT THE R.C.C. WAS NOT READY TO CONTINUE ENACTING LAWS, ESPECIALLY AFTER THE FORMATION OF THE GENERAL PEOPLE'S CONGRESS.

BUT, HE SAID, LEGISLATION SHOULD BE UNDERTAKEN BY PEOPLE ON POSITIONS WHICH AUTHORISE THEM TO KNOW THE PROBLEMS OF THE PEOPLE AND REFERRED TO THE RECOMMENDATION OF THE LAST CONGRESS THAT THE R.C.C. SHOULD HAVE THE RIGHT TO LEGISLATE ON MATTERS WHICH WERE BEYOND THESE POSITIONS.

THE LIBYAN JUSTICE MINISTER POINTED OUT THAT THE CONSTITUTIONAL DECLARATION, ISSUED AFTER THE SEPTEMBER REVOLUTION IPIKAYON ((AS RECEIVED-- FBIS)) STIPULATED THAT THE R.C.C. WAS THE BODY AUTHORISED TO ENACT LAWS AND AN AMENDMENT WOULD BE REQUIRED IN THE DECLARATION TO INVEST THE CONGRESS WITH LEGISLATIVE POWERS.

COLONEL AL- QADHDHAFI ALSO PROPOSED THAT THE LIFE SPAN OF THE PEOPLE'S COMMITTEES SHOULD AT LEAST BE 3 THREE YEARS SO THAT THEY HAVE AN OPPORTUNITY TO SERVE THE INTERESTS OF THE PEOPLE". THE INSTABILITY OF THESE COMMITTEES AFFECTED THE DEVELOPMENT PLAN IN THE PAST", THE LIBYAN LEADER ASSERTED.

PRIME MINISTER, MAJOR * ABD AS- SALAM JALLUD, TOLD THE CONGRESS IT WAS NECESSARY THAT LAWS BE ISSUED IN A PROMPT MANNER SO THAT THE ERA OF REVOLUTIONARY TRANSFORMATION MAY NOT SUFFER SETBACKS.

LATER THE CONGRESS UNANIMOUSLY ADOPTED THE MOTION FOR THE R.C.C. TO CONTINUE THE LEGISLATIVE BUSINESS UNTIL NEXT CONGRESS SESSION. 181652 HOLLAND/ML 18/2234Z JAN

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RESOLUTIONS ISSUED BY LIBYAN GENERAL CONGRESS
JN182200

((EDITORIAL REPORT JN)) TRIPOLI DOMESTIC SERVICE IN ARABIC WAS INTERCEPTED IN PROGRESS AT 1730 GMT ON 18 JANUARY CARRYING A LIVE RELAY OF THE FINAL SESSION OF LIBYA'S POPULAR GENERAL CONGRESS. AN UNIDENTIFIED SPEAKER PROPOSES THAT LIBYA LEADER MU'AMMAR AL-QADHDHAFI BE PROMOTED TO THE RANK OF MAJOR GENERAL IN APPRECIATION FOR HIS SERVICES TO THE LIBYAN REVOLUTION. AL-QADHDHAFI THANKS THE PEOPLE FOR THEIR CONFIDENCE, AND SAYS THAT HE WILL ACCEPT THE RANK OF MAJOR GENERAL ONLY AS AN HONORARY TITLE BUT IN PRACTICE HE WOULD LIKE TO RETAIN THE RANK OF COLONEL, WHICH HAS BECOME PART OF HIS NAME.

AT 1750 GMT, MAJ 'ABD AS-SALAM JALLUD, REVOLUTION COMMAND COUNCIL MEMBER, PRIME MINISTER, AND SECRETARY GENERAL OF THE CONGRESS, BEGINS TO READ THE CONGRESS RESOLUTIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS.

THE FOLLOWING ARE THE RESOLUTIONS ISSUED ON LIBYA'S ARAB AND FOREIGN POLICY:

"1. OUT OF ITS FAITH THAT UNITY IS A QUESTION OF LIFE AND DEATH FOR THE ARAB MASSES AND A PRECONDITION FOR GENERAL PROGRESS, THE CONGRESS: "A. STRESSES THE NEED TO CONTINUE THE STRUGGLE FOR UNITY BY ALL MEANS; "B. AFFIRMS THAT ANY REGRESSION OR RETREAT BY ANY OTHER RULER OR REGIME AWAY FROM THIS AIM WILL ONLY MAKE THE LIBYAN ARAB PEOPLE MORE DETERMINED TO ACHIEVE UNITY.

"2. THE CONGRESS SUPPORTS STEPS FOR UNITY AND RECOMMENDS THAT THE NEW EFFORTS FOR UNITY BE CONTINUED
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E "3. THE CONGRESS ANNOUNCES ITS ADHERENCE TO THE DJERBA UNITY DECLARATION ((WORDS INDISTINCT)) BETWEEN THE LIBYAN ARAB REPUBLIC AND THE TUNISIAN REPUBLIC ((WORDS INDISTINCT)).

"4. THE CONGRESS EMPHASIZED ITS PRINCIPLED COMMITMENT TO

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THE NEED TO COMPLETELY LIBERATE OUR PALESTINIAN ARAB LAND AND TO ACHIEVE THE RETURN OF ITS PEOPLE. THE CONGRESS STRESSES THAT THE ARAB- ZIONIST CONFLICT IS A FATEFUL, HISTORIC, AND CULTURAL CONFLICT CAUSED BY THE ZIONIST AGGRESSION AGAINST THE ARAB LAND OF PALESTINE. THE CONFLICT WILL ONLY END WITH THE END OF THIS AGGRESSION. THE CONGRESS SUPPORTS THE PALESTINIAN REVOLUTION FOR THE COMPLETE LIBERATION OF PALESTINE. THE CONGRESS ASSERTS THAT IT STRONGLY OPPOSES ALL CAPITULATIONIST, DEFEATIST ATTEMPTS AND CALLS ON ALL PROGRESSIVE FORCES IN THE ARAB HOMELAND, INCLUDING REGIMES, ORGANIZATIONS, AND PARTIES, TO OPPOSE THE CAPITULATIONIST PLANS AND TO DEVOTE ALL EFFORTS AND RESOURCES TOWARD ESTABLISHING AN OFFICIAL AND POPULAR FIGHTING REJECTIONIST FRONT WHICH WILL TAKE THE INITIATIVE IN THE INTERESTS OF THE MASSES AND THEIR FATEFUL ISSUES.

"5. THE CONGRESS CONDEMNS THE PLOTS WHICH ARE BEING HATCHED AGAINST THE PALESTINIAN ARAB PEOPLE AND THEIR REVOLUTION AND THE FRATERNAL LEBANESE PEOPLE. THE CONGRESS HAS DECIDED IN THIS RESPECT TO:

"A. FULLY SUPPORT THE PALESTINIAN REVOLUTION AS AN IMPORTANT AND EFFECTIVE MEMBER OF THE ARAB REVOLUTIONARY MOVEMENT AND AS AN IMPORTANT ELEMENT IN THE PREPARATIONS FOR LIBERATION;

"B. SUPPORT THE FRATERNAL LEBANESE PEOPLE AND THEIR PROGRESSIVE FORCES AGAINST THE ZIONIST-IMPERIALIST-REACTIONARY PLOT WHICH IS AIMED AT DIVIDING THEM IN ORDER TO PREVENT THEM FROM CONTINUING THEIR STRUGGLE IN SUPPORT OF THE PALESTINE QUESTION AND THE ARAB NATION.

"6. THE CONGRESS AFFIRMS ITS SUPPORT FOR THE OMANI REVOLUTION IN ITS STRUGGLE AGAINST THE IMPERIALIST AND REACTIONARY FORCES. THE CONGRESS AFFIRMS THE NEED FOR THE WITHDRAWAL OF THE IRANIAN AND BRITISH INVASION FORCES FROM OMANI TERRITORY. THE CONGRESS CALLS ON THE REVOLUTIONARY AND PROGRESSIVE FORCES IN THE ARAB HOMELAND TO ASSUME THEIR RESPONSIBILITY IN FIGHTING THIS INVASION. ((APPLAUSE))

"7. THE CONGRESS GREETES AND SUPPORTS SYRIA IN ITS STEADFASTNESS AGAINST THE CAPITULATIONIST ATTEMPTS WHICH ARE BEING MADE INSIDE AND OUTSIDE THE ARAB HOMELAND.

"8. THE CONGRESS STRESSES THE IMPORTANCE OF THE CALL WHICH THE BROTHER COLONEL HAS ADDRESSED TO THE ARAB PARTIES AND ORGANIZATIONS TO HOLD A CONFERENCE TO DEFINE THE FRAMEWORK FOR THEIR STRUGGLE FOR UNITY AND LIBERATION.

"9. THE CONGRESS SUPPORTS THE STEPS WHICH HAVE BEEN TAKEN AND THE BRIDGES WHICH HAVE BEEN BUILT WITH THE FRATERNAL AFRICAN COUNTRIES AND THE PEOPLES OF THE THIRD WORLD IN GENERAL AND RECOMMENDS THAT THESE STEPS AND BRIDGES BE CONTINUED AND REINFORCED FOR THE SAKE OF JUSTICE, FREEDOM, AND PROGRESS.

"10. THE CONGRESS LAUDS THE LIBERATION MOVEMENTS IN THE WORLD AND EMPHASIZES THE LIBYAN ARAB PEOPLE'S

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